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SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER TO HEAD MAURITANIAN DELEGATION TO
AFRICAN UNION SUMMIT

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1. (SBU) In response to Reftel, PolOff met on January 20 with Ministry of Foreign Affairs Secretary General Mohamed Abdallahi Ould Khattra who stated Foreign Affairs Minister Naha Mint Hamdi Ould Mouknass will head the Mauritanian delegation to the African Union Summit. Mouknass is expected to arrive in Addis Ababa on January 26 or 27. Khattra did not have any more information regarding her accommodations or contact information in Addis Ababa.

2. (SBU) Khattra said the Ministry has not yet decided on the composition of the delegation. He offered to inform Post as soon as he has more details.

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